

## LOG OF MEETING

**SUBJECT:** Meeting of UL 1026 Standards Technical Panel Working Group on Toaster Ovens

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### SUMMARY:

U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) staff met with Underwriters Laboratories (UL), Association of Home Appliance Manufacturers (AHAM) and a representative of Hamilton Beach/Proctor Silex as part of a working group to draft proposals to augment UL 1026 toaster oven requirements. The working group was established at the November 27, 2001 meeting of the Standards Technical Panel (STP) for Household Cooking Appliances to address fire hazards related to toaster oven control component failures. This STP covers UL 1026 – *Electric Household Cooking and Food Serving Appliances*, UL 1082 – *Household Electric Coffee Makers and Brewing-Type Appliances* and UL 1083 – *Household Electric Skillets and Frying-Type Appliances*. The objective of the STP is to act as a consensus body, which contributes to the development, maintenance and improvement of UL 1026, UL 1082 and UL 1083.

The working group discussion culminated in the framework for a proposal that would be a performance requirement that essentially requires controls to fail safe if the toast “on” activation method is actuated continuously for seven hours. UL staff will draft a proposal that will be forwarded to the STP for consideration.

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